

METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR INSTANT FAX TRANSMISSION

ABSTRACT

A method of providing computer users with fax services. A user activates a fax
5 system on the user's computer. The fax system then activates a fax service by
establishing communication with the fax service across a network and transmitting
information about the user to the fax service. The fax system the uses the fax service to
participate in any fax transactions as desired by the user. When the system is deactivated,
communication between the fax system and the fax service is terminated.

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